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Dr. Goold, M.D., M.H.S.A, M.A., is a professor of internal medicine and health management and policy at the University of Michigan. Board certified in internal medicine since 1990, she has practiced and supervised resident continuity clinics for over 25 years. Her clinical interests include adult primary care, doctor-patient relationships, communication and ethics. Dr. Goold directed the university's first bioethics program and currently leads the research program in health, justice and community at the Center for Bioethics, Social Sciences, and Medicine. Dr. Goold brings a variety of methods of inquiry, empirical and theoretical, to improve knowledge, understanding and practice in "money medicine and ethics," resource allocation and distributive justice, conflicts of interest, ethics of health policy (public and private) and community engagement, with the overarching goal of improving health equity. Her research emphasizes the perspectives of doctors, patients and the public on resource allocation. She and Marion Danis invented the award-winning priority-setting exercise CHAT (Choosing All Together), used worldwide. She has led numerous projects engaging minority and underserved communities in deliberations about health, health care and health research priorities. Dr. Goold recently finished a term as Chair of the American Medical Association Council on Ethical and Judicial Affairs. She is a fellow of the Hastings Center and of the American College of Physicians.



Carole Montgomery, M.D., F.H.M., C.P.E, M.H.S.A (moderator) is the vice president of Clinical Integrated Pathways for Spectrum Health, a not-for-profit integrated health system based in West Michigan. In this role, she is responsible for designing and leading the development of population health management programs that focus on integrating care across settings and specialties with a focus on success in both episode-based and population-based risk payment models. In addition to standardizing clinical best practice, objectives include driving reliable engagement of patients through standard education, shared decision making and advanced care planning for all patients. Carole earned her bachelor's degree from Michigan State University, her medical degree from Michigan State University College of Human Medicine and completed her internship and residency in internal medicine at Butterworth Hospital. She earned her Master's in Health Management and Policy from the University of Michigan's School of Public Health.